

CONSERVATION COMMISSION
Town of Monterey, Massachusetts

Minutes from Regular Conservation Commission meeting.

MEETING: 12 May 2003

Present: Chris Blair, Chair

Town of Monterey (NOI) Town Hall expansion
Review and finalize OOC. No work done.

General Business:

1. Discussion with Lew and Joyce Sheffey. They have a pond some 6' deep with dam and drain pipe, built some 20 years ago by Leigh Tryon. Some young, small trees surround the pond. There is a band of cattails at the bank area. The pond is pushing up weeds and lilies. They wish to get rid of the weeds and growth to use the pond for swimming as they have for 20 years. I suggested Lee Lyman of Lycot Engineering to discuss the project. I suggested reading Diet for a Small Lake. I also suggested raking out the weeds with a weed rake, being prepared to do regular and continuous maintenance.
2. I reviewed the request from the ZBA: a ZBA Hearing for Aronson, 32 Bidwell Rd. They asked the Concom respond in 30 days as to the project from our regulatory position. I made notes, and reviewed the narrative, Taconic site plan, Quisinberry architectural plans, and White Engineering septic plan. Comments will be forwarded to ZBA shortly.
3. Early in the day Shannon Darrin from White Engineering called asking that we consider the NOI of Mary Ellen Brown for a septic upgrade would be unapproved by the BOH if they presented tonight. I suggested they get BOH approval for a specific project before presenting before us. She agreed, and planned not to attend tonight.
4. Reviewed mail.

Meeting adjourned at 7:30 p.m.
Christopher Blair
Chair, Conservation Commission

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